RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUL 2 0 2006

PTO/SB/97 (08-03)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office

Sharon Tornlinson, INVISTA North America S.a r.l.

Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

Subj: Application Serial No. 10/719607 (Docket No. CL2121USNA)

Amendment Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.11 (6 pages)

Via Facsimile No. 571 273 8300 ·

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.8. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.8 minutes to complete, including gethering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer. U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

JAMES EDMOND VAN TRUMP

CASE NO.: CL2121USNA

APPLICATION NO.: 10/719607

CONFIRMATION NO.: 3125

GROUP ART UNIT: 1732

EXAMINER: LEO B. TENTONI

FILED: NOVEMBER 21, 2003

FOR: PROCESS FOR PREPARING BICOMPONENT FIBERS HAVING LATENT

CRIMP

AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

By Facsimile 571 273-8300

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated April 24, 2006, a response to which is due by July 24, 2006. Please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.